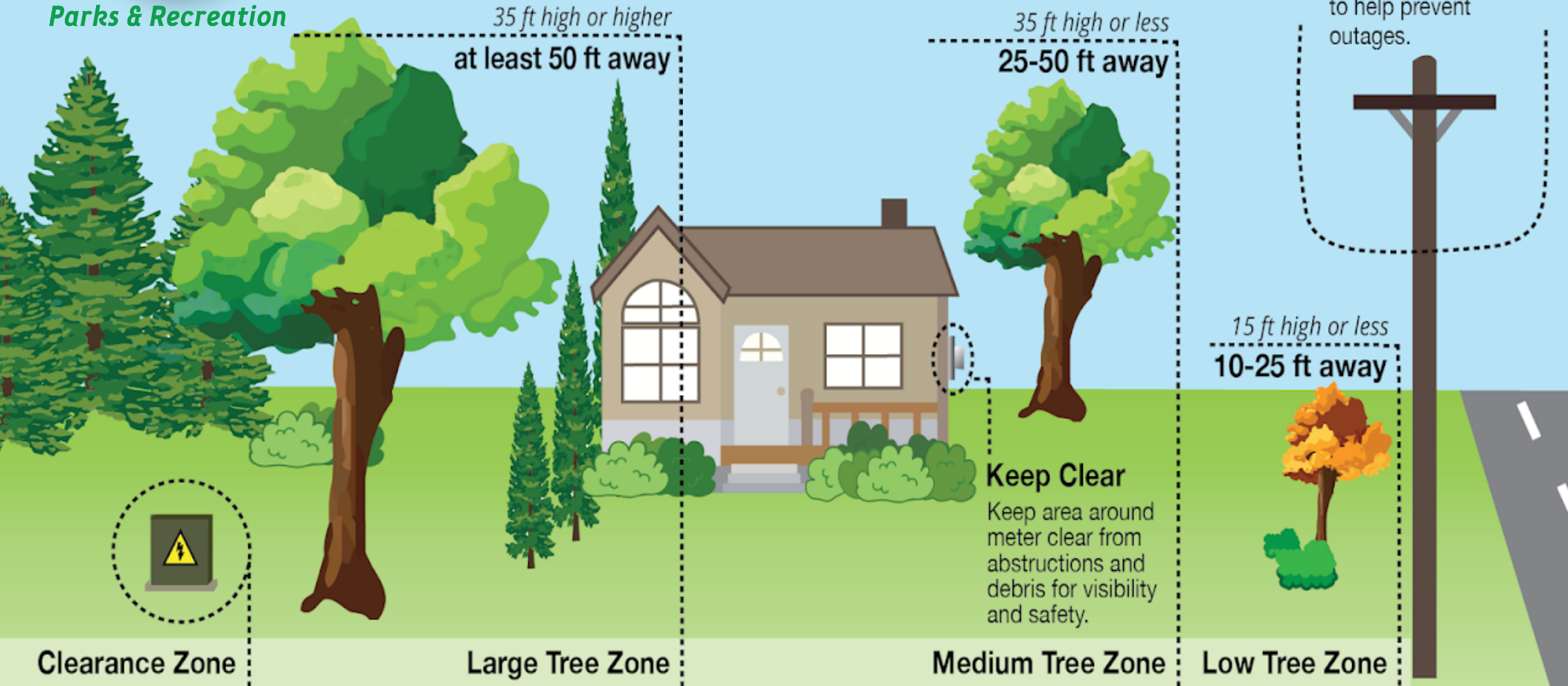


RIGHT TREE, RIGHT PLACE!

Before planting new trees to improve the look of your yard, you will need to keep a few things in mind.



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Pruning Zone

Trees and shrubs will be pruned if they are within 10 ft of overhead power lines to help prevent outages.

Clearance Zone

Trees and shrubs should be planted at least 10 ft away from ground-mounted transformers.

Large Tree Zone

Plant large trees (over 35 ft when mature) at least 50 ft away from overhead power lines.

Medium Tree Zone

Plant medium trees (over 25 ft when mature) at least 25 ft away from overhead power lines.

Low Tree Zone

It is best not to plant in this area. If you do, plant only low-growing trees and shrubs with a height of less than 15 ft when mature.

GROWING HERMISTON'S URBAN FOREST

Plant it right. Care for it well. Watch it grow with our community.



Why This Tree Matters

Every tree planted in Hermiston is an investment in our community.



Improves air quality and public health



Provides shade and reduces summer heat



Lowers energy costs for homes



Enhances neighborhood beauty and property values



Supports local wildlife and ecosystems



A Community Effort

This tree was provided through a partnership between:



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Together, we are building a stronger, greener Hermiston.



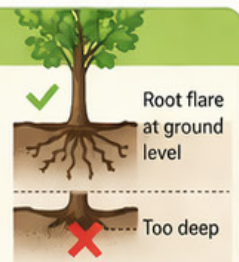
Your Role as a Tree Steward

This tree is part of a citywide effort. Its success depends on you.



Planting

- ✓ **Plant at proper depth** (root flare at ground level)
- ✓ **Water immediately** after planting



Watering

- ✓ **First year: Deep water** 1–2 times per week
- ✓ **Increase** during hot, dry periods



Mulching

- ✓ **Apply 2–3 inches** of mulch
- ✓ **Keep mulch away** from trunk



Protection

- ✓ **Avoid damage** from lawn equipment
- ✓ **Stake only if necessary**, remove after 1 year



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For more information, tree care resources, and future programs:



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